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In re Patent Application of:
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For: FLAKE PIGMENT PROVIDED WITH FILM
CONTAINING CHARGE CONTROL AGENT,
POWDER METALLIC COATING MATERIAL
CONTAINING THE SAME, COATING USING
THE SAME AND PRODUCTION METHOD
OF THE FLAKE PIGMENT

Examiner: A. S. Abu

AMENDMENT IN RESPONSE TO NON-FINAL OFFICE ACTION

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INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS

In response to the Office Action dated March 7, 2007, please amend the above-identified U.S. patent application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 6 of this paper.